

**AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER**Docket No.
31775-221177

Application No. 10/551,471-Conf. #4402	Filing Date September 30, 2005	Examiner R. P. Karuna	Art Unit 1796
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Applicant(s): Thomas Hanemann et al.

Invention: FIBER OPTIC MATERIAL AND THE USE THEREOF

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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Independent Claims	6	- 3 =	3	x 210.00	630.00
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FEE TRANSMITTAL For FY 2008

Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT	(\$)	1,140.00
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FEE CALCULATION

1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES

<u>Application Type</u>	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		<u>Fees Paid (\$)</u>
	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Small Entity</u>	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Small Entity</u>	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Small Entity</u>	
Utility	310	155	510	255	210	105	
Design	210	105	100	50	130	65	
Plant	210	105	310	155	160	80	
Reissue	310	155	510	255	620	310	
Provisional	210	105	0	0	0	0	

2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES

Fee Description

Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)

Small Entity

Fee (\$) Fee (\$)

50 25

Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)

210 105

Multiple dependent claims

370 185

<u>Total Claims</u>	<u>Extra Claims</u>	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Fee Paid (\$)</u>	<u>Multiple Dependent Claims</u>
21	-20 = 1	x 50	= 50.00	<u>Fee (\$)</u> <u>Fee Paid (\$)</u>

HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20.

<u>Indep. Claims</u>	<u>Extra Claims</u>	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Fee Paid (\$)</u>	
6	- 3 = 3	x 210	= 630.00	

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3. APPLICATION SIZE FEE

If the specification and drawings exceed 100 sheets of paper (excluding electronically filed sequence or computer listings under 37 CFR 1.52(e)), the application size fee due is \$260 (\$130 for small entity) for each additional 50 sheets or fraction thereof. See 35 U.S.C. 41(a)(1)(G) and 37 CFR 1.16(s).

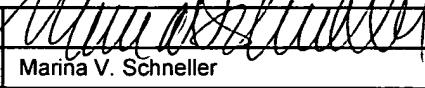
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4. OTHER FEE(S)

Non-English Specification, \$130 fee (no small entity discount)

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This paper is presented in response to the November 27, 2007 Office Action.

Applicants petition for a two month extension. Fees for extension and additional claims are authorized on a concurrently filed transmittal, to be charged to Deposit Account 22-0261

Amendments begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.